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INTELLIGENCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Minutes of Meeting Held in IAC Conference Room, Administration Building Central Intelligence Agency, at 1045, 23 January 1957

Director of Central Intelligence
Allen W. Dulles
Presiding*

Deputy Director of Central Intelligence Lieutenant General Charles P. Cabell Presiding*

MEMBERS PRESENT

- Mr. W. Park Armstrong, Jr., Special Assistant for Intelligence, Department of State
- Major General Robert A. Schow, Assistant Chief of Staff, Intelligence, Department of the Army
- Rear Admiral Laurence H. Frost, Director of Naval Intelligence, Department of the Navy
- Major General Millard Lewis, Director of Intelligence, Headquarters, United States Air Force
- Colonel E. G. Van Orman, acting for Deputy Director for Intelligence, The Joint Staff
- Mr. Harry S. Traynor, Atomic Energy Commission representative to the IAC
- Mr. Ralph R. Roach, acting for Federal Bureau of Investigation representative to the IAC

^{*} Part of meeting

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1. Approval of Minutes
15 January Meeting
(IAC-M-274)

Approved as written. However, with respect to the question raised in Secretary's Note 3, the members agreed not to release to USIA SNIE 11-6-57, "Soviet Gross Capabilities for Attack on the Continental US in Mid-1960," 15 January 1957.

2. Watch Committee Report No. 337

Noted.

- 3. Arab-Israeli Situation
 (Report by IAC ad hoc
 Working Group, 10 January)
 - a. Noted this report.
- b. General Schow suggested, and the members concurred, that the ad hoc Working Group should prepare and circulate for insertion in this report a map showing the location of the United Nations Emergency Force, as of the date of this paper. The members also exchanged views on other aspects of this report, particularly the extent of its circulation, the timing and volume of Soviet Bloc arms deliveries to Egypt and Syria, and the inventory of military equipment. In the course of the discussion, Mr. Armstrong noted that he found these papers very useful, and the Chairman suggested that this report be updated again in the next few months.
- 4. Proposed Review of
 Crisis Situations
 (Memorandum to IAC, 18 January)
- a. Noted this memorandum, and concurred in the procedure proposed therein. In view of this concurrence, Mr. Dulles stated

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that such a review of crisis situations hereafter would be regularly placed on the agenda of IAC meetings, with members to propose matters for discussion according to the procedure outlined in the memorandum.

- b. In this connection, the Chairman and members exchanged views on developments in the Kashmir situation, with particular reference to the possible impact of the current UN debate on this problem. Mr. Dulles also noted, and discussed with the members, recent requests by General Cutler for NSC briefings on the Russian earth satellite program and on the Middle East situation.
- 5. Release of SNIE 11-6-57
 Soviet Gross Capabilities for
 Attack on the Continental US
 in Mid-1960
 (Memorandum to IAC, 18 January)

- 6. NIE 34-57
 The Outlook for Iran
 - a. Approved as amended.
- b. Noted the findings and approved the recommendation of the post-mortem on this estimate.
- c. Noted the validity study on NIE 34-54, "Probable Developments in Iran Through 1955," 7 December 1954.

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